HIGHER PAY MEANS Recipe For Grass Sought By District LESS WORK AT NAVY YARD, SAYS DANIELS

Workmen Continue Protest as New Wage Scale Goes in Effect Today.

DECISION EXPECTED TUESDAY

"It's Up to Daniels," Says Alifas, of Machinists, While Talk of Strike Continues.

A final decision on the wages to be paid in the Washington navy yard is in abeyance today ,owing to the fact that Assistant Secretary of the Navy Roose-

velt is out of the city.

Mr. Roosevelt and the members of the wage board of the navy yard expect to take the matter up with Secretary Daniels for decision early the coming week. Mr. Daniels said today he would probably see them Tuesday and then tve a decision.

forthcoming today, but Mr. Daniels was not able to go into details about the situation with Mr. Roosevelt before the atter departed last night for Newport. New Scale Begins Today.

Meantime, the new wage scale as re-cently promulgated by Secretary Dan-iels, effective October 9, became operative today.
"The next move in the matter of pay

"The next move in the matter of pay of navy yard workers is up to the Secretary of the Navy," said N. P. Alifas, who headed the committee of machinists that conferred with Assistant Secretary of the Navy Roosevelt yesterday regarding the protests made by the workers over the new wage scale. Officials would not give a forecast of the probable decision. But the indications continue that a compromise will be reached which will be satisfactory to the navy officials and the machinists. If the Government allows an increase of \$2 cents for the drat three ratings the machinists will be satisfied.

Less Work If Wages Too High. Whether it will be feasible at this time to put the machinists and tool-makers on the same basis, and practicarry treat them as one is not yet clear.

One important fact disclosed today is that Secretary Daniels has warned the machinists that if wages in the Washington yard are raised too high it will mean that less work will be done here. Under the navy system the Government yards bid for work the same as private concerns. If a private establishment bids lowest, it gets the work. This applies to making of guns as well as other manufacturing. cally treat them as one is not yet clear.

GERMAN SEA RAIDER NOW IN ATLANTIC?

British Oil Ship Fired On-Gal veston Yacht Twin Sisters Suspected.

GALVESTON, Oct. 9.-The British oil ship San Melito's report from Rio de Janeiro that she was fired on as she left Tuxpan—one of her crew being killed and several being wounded-has

vue-Stratford Hotel threaten to tell the distration and several being wounded—has aroused new interest in shipping circles here as to the present whereabouts of the power yacht Twin Sisters.

Bought by Germans and manned by Germans, the Twin Sisters cleared from Galveston for Havana on September 4. A high price was paid for her, and she was closely examined before papers were granted to her. Officials found only a good supply of provisions aboard, and a number of empty coffee canisters. Inquiries sent to Havana as to her arrival there have not been answered, and mariners think she may not have gone to Cuba at all, but down the western coast of the guif.

It might have been possible for the Twin Sisters, having changed her name and appearance, to have got a small caliber gun either in Texas or in Mexico. Such a gun would be powerful enough to sink a tanker.

Germans Capture First

Line Trench From the Allies, Paris Admits

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Armored Train With

1,800 Prisoners Caught

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Throughout Friday night there was occasional intense cannonading along the Lihons, Qunnevieres, and Nouvres sectors. East of the Nevarin farm the Germans made a fierce counter-attack, which was repulsed.

The same fate met similar German rushes against the positions south of Tahure taken by the French Friday.

THE WEATHER REPORT.

The forecast for the District of Co-jumbia—Fair and continued cold tonight and Sunday; heavy frost tonight; gentle to mederate northwest winds. Maryland—Fair and continued cold to-night and Sunday; heavy frost tonight; gentle to moderate northwest winds. TEMPERATURES.

SUN TAILE.
Sun rose at.....5:31 Sun sets at.....5:31

Light automobile lamps at 6:09 p. m.

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Department of Trees and Parking Just Can't Make It Grow at Municipal Building.

Wanted—Information on how to make grass grow in front of the Municipal building. Any suggestions will be gratefully received by the Department of Trees and Parking.

This department of the city government highly successful in

This department of the city government has been highly successful in making grass and trees grow in most spots throughout the city. About the only place where it has been unsuccessful to date is in front of its own doors at the Municipal building.

Ever since the Municipal building was constructed there has been trouble with its lawns. They have been dug up again and again and treated to every process in the ken of agriculturists. This summer the department for a time thought it had arrived at a solution. But crab grass and weeds again shot through and gradually the green grass again was killed off.

Today the Department of Trees and Parking resolutely set about taking off the top layer of sod and replacing it with a thick coating of new soil.

FOR SECOND GAME

(Continued from First Page.)
Alexander. Alec isn't an iron manhe's a tall ganglin' looking thing with
a fair share of pitching power, a nonetoo-robust physique, and an almost
unbelievable amount of cunning. Some
may point to the fact that he was
touched for more hits than was Shore.
Hits don't win ball games. Runs do.
Every pitch has 25 per cent twist on
it and 75 per cent cunning. Alec
knows he isn't an iron man, and with
all his modesty he knows it's up to him
to win the title for Philadelphia, if one
comes here. So he pitched for Monday
as well as for the moment. Boston
had men on bases every inning—three
of the times before a man was down.
Lewis, Cady and Shore all were whiffed with their mates on—when hits
meant runs.

Came Through In Pinch. There wasn't a minute of those 118 yesterday that Alec didn't have a lot yesterday that Alec didn't have a lot more than he had thrown plateward. When the pinch came, he rose to it.

Boston is reputed to have a lot of speed on the bases. With men on bases in every inning, they stole one bag and scored one run. Either Alec is awfully good or the Red Sox are a bunch of turties, and a season's record proves the former, while it doesn't prove the latter.

Alexander pitched with a consummate Alexander pitched with a consummate tense moments. He never allowed more than a hit an inning, and when the ninth came, with Henriksen on through Fred Luderus' error, he forced Ruth to pop weakly to the igheld, and set Hooper down with a sickly sort of an infield fly.

Speculators Arrested

names of the persons from whom secured the small bales of tickets.

valis throughout the southern fighting area.

Refugees continue to pour into Petrograd at the rate of several thousands daily. A feeding station established by British charities in the Petrograd station of the railway from Warsaw cares for hundreds daily. A Russian dignitary, on making a complimentary call at this station, asked for Lady Georgiana Buchanan, wife of the British ambassador, who is in charge of this work. He was conducted to an improvised bath train and found her on her knees, wrapped in a long apron, her leeves rolled up. She was washing bables of the refugees.

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"PHYSICS OF STARS"

Astrophysical Observatory Is Quartered in Modest Home in South Washington.

An unobtrusive group of small frame buildings back of the Smithsonian Institution, the use of which many residents in Washington do not know, constitute the astrophysical observatory. In these buildings some of the most elaborate and highly technical experiments known to modern astronomy have been carried out. Some of these experiments are described in a current builetin of the Smithsonion Institution. The observations described was concerned mainly with the great back supplying force of nature, the sun which affects all life, animal extent.

Dr. Samuel Plerpont angley, late secretary of the Smithsonian, whose name is more commonly associated with aviation experiments, also is known to the scientific world for his interest in astronomy, and as the father of the so-called "new astronomy." As explained by him, astronomy had formerly been concerned mainly with asking the question "where"—that is, with the location of heavenly bodies—but under the stimulus he furnished it began to ask "why," and that was the start of the work in experimental astronomy to determine what relation these bodies had to the earth.

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The Astrophysical Observatory was founded in 1890 through the efforts of Dr. Langley, and began work in the physics of the stars. With the assistance of Dr. Charles G. Abbot, director since 1996, this unique observatory has added much to the knowledge of the sun's rays.

The bulletin describes the extreme care and precision used in a long series of observations to determine the amount of heat received on the earth from the sun. For one series of these observations instruments known as balloon pyrheliometers, instruments granted a gold medal at the Panama-Pacific Exposition were used. Records on these instruments were secured by sending them up by the use of balloons.

When the balloons reached the maximum elevation two of them burst by expansion and the other allowed the instrument to drift slowly down to eart with its interesting record. Some of the photographic records were spoiled by exposure to the weather, but none of the instruments were lost.

MRS. CROWNINSHIELD NO SUICIDE. IS VERDICT

Wife of Naval Architect Died From Overtaxed Heart, Physician Decides.

With More Than \$1,000

Worth of Ball Tickets

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 9.—The hundreds of the commit suicide but died from an overtaxed heart and certain other physical commit suicide but died from an overtaxed heart and certain other physical causes, according to Medical Expenditudes.

The speculators seem to have little trouble in securing tickets. This was evidenced when seventeen were picked up by the police with more than \$1,000 worth of the pasteboards.

Since the National Commission has looked into the scandal the speculators operating in the vicinity of the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel threaten to tell the hames of the persons from whom they secured the small bales of tickets.

Meets Woman Who NEW WATER SUPPLY Saved Him in '63

Veteran Visits Southerner in Whose Cellar He Hid During the War.

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Feeble with his seventy-six years, the veteran, who had been to the G. A. R. reunion at Washington last week, tottered to the porch where the woman was sitting and embraced her.

Mrs. Howser, who is eighty-eight, is Hagerstown's oldest resident. She told how Wheaton, with five other cavairymen of the Union forces, just before the battle of Gettysburg, took part in a skirmish with Confederate cavairymen. They were unhorsed and fled down an alley near Mrs. Bowser's home and into her cellar. For a week she fed them, three times the Confederate troops reached the house, but failed to find them.

VERDI'S OPERA SUNG BY SAN CARLO CAST

Allessandro Modesti Does Best Work of Week in Baritone Role in "The Masked Ball."

little-known opera, Masked Ball," was presented by a capa ble San Carlo cast at the Belasco The-ater last evening. It is a production that makes heavy demands on the male singers, and the success of last night's performance is due, in great measure, to them.

tenor part of Richard, Count of War-wick, and—oddly enough—governor of wick, and-oddly enough-governor of Boston. He sang with spirit, especially in the second scene of the first act, and his voice blended pleasinsty with the others at all times. Allessandro Modesti did the best work of the week in the baritone role of Reinhart, repeating the third act air, "Is It Thou?" in response to hearty, applause. Natale Cervi and Pietro di Biasi, the basso villains, lent balance and richness to the scenes in which they appeared.

Carolina Zawner had a mezzo of rich timore as the witch, Urica, and it was regretted that she was not heard after the first act. Mary Kaestner mastered the difficulties of Ameia's music with ease, and Sophle Charlebols sang the dainty airs allotted the page most charmingly.

The orchestration plays an unusually important part in "The Masked Hall" and the San Carlo musicians acquitted themselves with credit under the forceful leading of Chevaller Fulgenzio Guerrieri. He sang with spirit, especially

Rev. Thomas S. Samson To Be Buried Sunday

The Rev Thomas S. Samson, formerence in Philadelphia, yesterday, will be buried in Newton, Mass. Dr. Sam-son is survived by his wife, three daughters, Mrs. Grant McDonald, of New York, Mrs. John T. Gillespie, of Norristown, N. J., and Mrs. Arthur M. Whaley, and a son George W. Samson. Whaley, and a son George W. Samson, also by two sisters, Mrs. Emma S. Dayton, of Washinston, and Miss Elizabeth Samson, of New York; and one brother, Dr. George C. Samson, of Washinston.

The Rev. Dr. Samson was born in Washinston and educated here. The funeral services will be held tomorrow at Newton.

URGED BY GARLAND

HAGERSTOWN, Md., Oct. 9.—After fifty-two years, William M. Wheaton, of Ottumwa, Iowa, met Mrs. Sarah E. Bowser, who hid him in her celtar in the civil war to save him from cap-

Forewarning that the capacity of the present District water supply will be overtaxed by 1930, John S. Garland Superintendent of the District Water Department, in his annual report to the Commissioners today, emphasized Washington against a water famine.

Washington's population will have reached 600,000 by 1930, the report declares. When it has increased to that amount, it is explained, the capacity of the present conduit will have been reached.

reached.

An underground leakage of 1,828,800 gallons of water a day was discovered and stopped during the year by the pitometer division of the Water Department, according to the report, which also declares that other savings of water, amounting to 600,000 gallons daily, have been brought about during the period ending June 30, 1915.

During the past fiscal year 11.4 miles of water mains have been laid, bringing the total length of mains in the distribution system up to more than 600 miles.

MARKETS BUREAU

Twenty-five Bales Damaged in Fire on Thirteenth Street, Near B.

Fire early today badly damaged about twenty-five bales of cotton stored for the use of the Agricultural Department on the first floor of the building occu pled by the Bureau of Markets on Thir centh street near B street southwest. The blaze was discovered just befor I o'clock by a man collecting trash and an alarm was turned in from the Bureau of Plant Industry which stands back of the market bureau, on Pour-

For more than an hour three engine companies labored to extinguish the flames, which smouldered among 100 bales doing little damage to the build-

ing.

The bales were thrown into the alley back of the building and the ties which held them broken. As soon as the heavy streams of water struck the great pile of cotton, the air was filled with wisp of cotton, the air was filled with wisp of the light material. Twice when the firemen believed they had subdued the fire, the flames broke out afresh, and it was not until well after noon that the blaze was totally extinguished.

Veteran Newspaper Man, Augustus P. Dunlop, Dead

Army and Navy

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Lieutenant Colonel CLARENCE C.
WILLIAMS, Ordnance Department,
is detailed for duty as a member
of the board of engineers, vice Colonel TRACY C. DICKSON, United
States army, retired.
Captain WILLIAM M. FASSETT.
Twenty-seventh Infantry, now on
leave, will proceed via San Francisco, to join his regiment in the Philippine department.
Captain HENRY M. FALES, infantry,
is assigned to the Twenty-fourth infantry.
First Lieutenant SHERMAN MILES,
Field Artillery, is attached to the
Third Field Artillery, to take effect
January 4, 196.
First Lieutenant CARROLL W. NEAL,
Field Artillery, is assigned to the
Sixth Field Artillery, is assigned to the Sixth Field Artillery.
Second Lieutenant FREEMAN W.
BOWLEY, Field Artillery, is assigned to the Sixth Field Artillery.
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requires him to participate regularly and frequently in aerial flights
from September 2, 1915.
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take effect November 1, 1915.
First Lieutenant FREDERICK C.
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New Mexico, to take effect October
31, 1915.
Quartermaster Sergeant ARCHIE L.
JENKINS

31, 1913.

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JENKINS, Quartermaster Corps,
now at Fort Hancock, N. J., to report to the commanding officer,
coast defenses of Sandy Hook, for
assignment.

1, 1915. Lieutenant J. H. BLACKBURN detached aid on staff and fleet engineer. Pacific Reserve Fleet, to home and

Pacific Reserve Fieet, wait orders.
Ensign R. M. PARKINSON commissioned from June 5, 1915.
Passed Assistant Surgeon G. B.
TRIBLE detached Solace to temporary duty Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.
Assistant Surgeon L. F. DRUMM, Marrine Corps, commissioned from Sep-

HOLD INQUEST INTO AGED MAN'S DEATH

Eugene G. Jeffreys Killed at Ninth Street and New York Avenue.

quest into the circumstances surround ing the death yesterday of Eugene Gar-rett Jeffreys, sixty-five years old, of 3029 Thirteenth street northwest, onetime prominent contractor in this city, and later a clerk in the office of the Auditor for the Treasury Department. BOWLEY, Field Artillery, is assigned to the Sixth Field Artillery. Becond Lieutenant RALPH ROYCE, Twenty-sixth Infantry, aviation student, is annouseed as on duty that requires him to participate regularly and frequently in aerial flight from Highland From Hopember 27, 1915.

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Quartermaster Sergeant ARCHIE L. JENKINS, Quartermaster Corps, now at Fort Hancock, N. J., to report to the commanding officer, coast defenses of Sandy Hook, for assignment.

Captain RUSSEDIL C. LANGDON, infantry, will repair to this city and report in person to the commanding officer, First Brigade, for duty as adjutant.

NAVY.

Captain HUGH RODMAN to command New York, October 18, 1915.

Commander R. D. HASBROUCK to navy yard, Boston, Mass.

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Commander R. E. MOSES detached Monterey to Wilmington.

Lieutenant J. H. BLACKBURN detach
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Mabel Normand Will Recover From Injury

Dispatches from Los Angeles received today state that Mabel Normand, the motion picture comedienne, whose serlous injury was announced several days ago, has passed the crisis, and is now

rine Corps, commissioned from September 25.

Assistant Paymaster S. J. BRUNE, to Naval Pay Officer's Scohool, Washington, D. C.

Assistant Paymaster C. W. EDGE, commissioned from September 17.

Chief Pharmacist R. T. ABERNATHY, to Naval Hospital, Boston, Mass., for observation and treatment.

Chief Machinist F. J. McALLISTER, detached Ohio; to Wisconsin.

Machinist J. J. Coyle, detached Ohio; to Machinist J. J. Coyle, detached Ohio; to Wisconsin.

Machinist J. J. Coyle, detached Ohio; to North Dakota.

Pay Clerk N. R. WADE, to Cheyenne.

MOVEMENTS OF VESSELS.

Departures—Prometheus from Cordova to Sitka; Culgoa from Port au Prince to Guantanamo; Des Moines from Larnaka to Beirut.

Arrivals—Justin and San Diego at San Diego, Dolphin at Norfolk, Kanawha at Newport, Nashville at Port au Prince, Bainbridge, Chauncey and Dale and Manila.

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